

STATE OF WISCONSIN
Senate Journal
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MONDAY, June 18, 2001

The Chief Clerk makes the following entries under the above date.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES

The committee on **Environmental Resources** reports and recommends:

Senate Bill 160

Relating to: prohibiting the use of cyanide in metallic mining.

Passage.

Ayes, 4 – Senators Baumgart, Hansen, Wirch and Cowles.
Noes, 1 – Senator Schultz.

Jim Baumgart
Chairperson

The committee on **Finance** reports and recommends:

Senate Bill 144

Relating to: state purchase of a Justice Center building and granting bonding authority.

Passage.

Ayes, 7 – Senators Burke, Decker, Moore, Shibilski, Plache, Wirch and Darling.

Noes, 1 – Senator Welch.

Brian Burke
Chairperson

The joint committee on **Finance** reports and recommends:

Senate Bill 55

Relating to: state finances and appropriations, constituting the executive budget act of the 2001 legislature.

Introduction and adoption of Senate substitute amendment 1.

Ayes, 12 – Senators Burke, Decker, Moore, Shibilski, Plache, Wirch and Darling. Representatives Gard, Kaufert, Duff, Huber and Coggs.

Noes, 4 – Senator Welch. Representatives Albers, Ward and Huebsch.

Passage as amended.

Ayes, 12 – Senators Burke, Decker, Moore, Shibilski, Plache, Wirch and Darling. Representatives Gard, Kaufert, Duff, Huber and Coggs.

Noes, 4 – Senator Welch. Representatives Albers, Ward and Huebsch.

Brian Burke
Senate Chairperson

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

**State of Wisconsin
Department of Health and Family Services**

June 11, 2001

The Honorable, The Senate:

Pursuant to Section 50.04(5)(fr), Wis. Stats., effective June 17, 1998, the Department is required to submit an annual report to the Legislature related to Class A violations committed by nursing homes (including facilities for the developmentally disabled) and forfeitures assessed on nursing homes for those violations.

The Department issued 26 Class A violations to nursing homes between June 17, 2000 and May 21, 2001. The attached chart details these Class A violations, including the original forfeiture amount assessed and the status of the payment.

There are several violations that have not yet been assessed forfeitures. The Department's two forfeiture positions were vacant for approximately four months. The positions have both been filled, and the new staff have completed training and are currently working on the backlog of Class A violations.

Sincerely,

PHYLLIS J. DUBE
Secretary

**REFERRALS AND RECEIPT OF
COMMITTEE REPORTS CONCERNING
PROPOSED ADMINISTRATIVE RULES**

The committee on **Judiciary, Consumer Affairs, and Campaign Finance Reform** reports and recommends:

Senate Clearinghouse Rule 99–115

Relating to police pursuit.

No action taken.

Gary George
Chairperson